

230 MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT OF THE BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE TO DISCUSS
THE HINDU RELIGIOUS ENDOWMENTS ACT

[Mr. T. R. Venkatarama Sastriyar] [4th February 1925]

and to declare that the Bill shall have no legal effect, then of course the whole enactment ceases to have effect."

*The hon. the PRESIDENT:—"It must be obvious to hon. Members that in the circumstances explained by the Advocate-General and the hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government the terms of the notice have to be varied; they will not exactly be the same as those of which the hon. Member gave notice this morning. So he would also benefit by being able to renew the notice to-morrow morning."

Mr. S. SATYAMURTI:—"May I ask the hon. Minister for Local Self-Government to say who the president is that has been appointed?"

The hon. the RAJA OF PANAGAL:—"Sir, Sadasiva Ayyar."

Rai Bahadur T. M. NARASIMHACHARLU:—"Am I to renew my notice to-morrow or modify it. . ."

*The hon. the PRESIDENT:—"I thought that the hon. Member understood that he would have another opportunity of giving notice to-morrow, and I have no doubt that in the circumstances explained by the hon. Members on the Government side he would modify the terms of his notice."

III
COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COUNCIL.

With reference to the answers given to question No. 926 at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 18th October 1924, the Secretary laid on the table a statements showing the number of persons imprisoned, deported or otherwise dealt with in connexion with the Agency fituri.

IV
DEMANDS FOR SUPPLEMENTARY GRANTS FOR 1924-25.

Grant XXX.

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—"Sir, I beg to move:

'That the Government be granted an additional sum of Rs. 30,000 under "41. Civil Works—Transferred for expenditure on constructing a temporary roadway across the Coleroon at Trichinopoly, the amount being met from the reserve provision of Rs. 6,95,700 under 47. Miscellaneous—Miscellaneous and Unforeseen charges—Grant XXXV.

"Sir, the motion which I have submitted for the consideration of the House will, I have no doubt, be acceptable to all Members, for the necessity for building up a roadway across the Coleroon was repeatedly urged in this House. The masonry bridge at Trichinopoly collapsed during the abnormal floods in July 1924. Pending construction of a permanent bridge across the river a temporary roadway is urgently required for trade purposes. The Collector wrote that immediate steps might be taken for the construction of a temporary bridge for the use of the public. He added that the Sappers and Miners had much greater experience than the Public Works Department officers in this kind of bridge construction and it might be possible to get it carried out by the Military department. Reference was made to the

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